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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Proposed Reciprocity Amendment to the
Communications Act

Mr. Norman Paul checked and found that the proposed reciprocity amendment to the Communications Act had been thoroughly considered by the Defense Communications Agency and the Joint Chiefs which had resulted in a decision by DOD to support the bill.

LRH/s

LAWRENCE R. HOUSTON
General Counsel

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25X1 5. [] Met briefly with Robert Smart, Chief Counsel of House Armed Services Committee, and mentioned to him our interest in State Department's bill to amend section 303 of the Communications Act (introduced in the Senate as S. 3252). I asked Smart for his advice as to how we might support this bill without becoming openly involved. Smart will determine from the Parliamentarian to which Committee the bill will be referred in the House and then discuss this further with us.

Smart commented on the Agency's briefing of the CIA Subcommittee on Monday describing it as a very good session. He also mentioned that he had been unable to [] over the weekend because of the pressure of the schedule. 25X1

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cc: Ex/Dir
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Colonel Grogan

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